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Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Official Action dated October 20, 2008 by two months from January 20, 2009 to March 20, 2009. The amount of \$490.00 is submitted concurrently herewith as payment for the fee.

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